## COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

GARIS L. PRUITT	)
COMPLAINANT	<b>\</b>
vs.	CASE NO. 92-272
KENTUCKY POWER COMPANY	
DEFENDANT	,

## ORDER

On June 12, 1992, Garis L. Pruitt ("Mr. Pruitt") filed a formal complaint against Kentucky Power Company ("Kentucky Power"). As part of his complaint, Mr. Pruitt requested the Commission grant him a hearing on the reasonableness of a deposit requirement on rental property he owns. Kentucky Power filed its answer on July 23, 1992.

In its answer, Kentucky Power states that Mr. Pruitt paid a deposit of \$150 on June 5, 1992 to secure payment for service to the rental property (Mr. Pruitt also has two other accounts with Kentucky Power). Service was placed into Mr. Pruitt's name on June 8, 1992. When a new tenant assumed the obligation for the service to the rental property on June 16, 1992, Mr. Pruitt's security deposit was refunded to him, with interest, after charging against the deposit the amount of the bill for retail electric service from June 8 to June 16. Mr. Pruitt was refunded \$128.69 on June 19, 1992.

Upon review of this case and the information submitted by the parties, the Commission believes the record to be complete. The Commission finds that Mr. Pruitt's complaint is moot since he was refunded his deposit from the rental property in accordance with 807 KAR 5:006, Section 7. Accordingly, a formal hearing would serve no purpose.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that Mr. Pruitt's complaint be and hereby is dismissed.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 26th day of August, 1992.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Chairman

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ATTEST:

Executive Director